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TO: Department of State
Attention: Mr. A. N. Abajian
Office of Investigation
Refugee Relief Program

FROM: Deputy Director, Plans

SUBJECT: VAHER, Lembit

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1. Reference is made to your SY memorandum IRP/522, dated 25 March 1955, subject as above, whose name you desired checked against the files of this office.

2. The files of this office contain the following information concerning Lembit VAHER, believed to be identical with the subject of the request.

3. Information compiled by SHAEF during World War II from unknown sources indicates that Lembit VAHER, born 2 November 1914, was a member of the 20th Waffen SS-Grenadier, First Estonian Division, and was promoted to SS Hauptsturmfuehrer (Waffenfuehrer) circa 9 November 1944.

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